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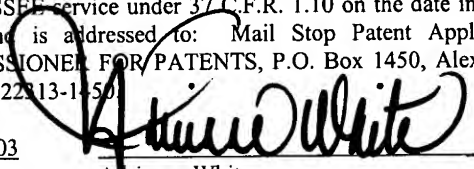
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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of the listed references are enclosed.

The applicants would like to make the Examiner aware of the following application that is being pursued by the assignee of the present application:

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Unknown Atty. Docket No. 47097-01221USPD	10/20/2003	Polymeric Container With Handle

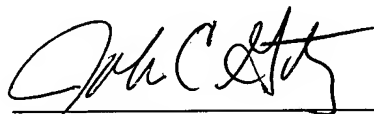
In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(iii), a copy of the above-referenced U.S. Design Patent Application Serial No. "Unassigned" (Attorney Docket No. 47097-01221USPD), is also enclosed.

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